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SUMMARY

An investigation was made to determine optimum double-slottedflap configurations for seven thin NACA airfoil sections. The airfoils tested were the NACA 63-210, 64-208, 64-210, 64₁-212, 65-210, 66-210, and 1410 airfoil sections. Each of the airfoil sections tested was equipped with a main flap of 0.250 chord and a fore flap of 0.075 chord. In addition, the NACA 66-210 and the NACA 64-208 airfoil sections were also tested with a 0.100-chord and a 0.056-chord fore flap, respectively. Lift measurements were made at a Reynolds number of 2.4 x 106 to obtain the configuration giving the highest maximum section lift coefficient (ideal position) for each of the airfoil sections tested. The lift characteristics were measured for Reynolds numbers up to 9.0 x 106 in order to obtain an indication of the scale effects. The section pitchingmoment characteristics and the effect of leading-edge roughness on the lift characteristics were measured for each of the airfoil sections at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^{6} for a double-slotted-flap position close to the ideal which also allowed the double slotted flap to be retracted as a unit into the wing contour (optimum).

The optimum fore-flap positions were generally found to be about 1 percent chord forward and about 2 percent chord below the slot lip. The optimum flap positions varied considerably. The deflections for which the highest maximum lift coefficients were measured were about 50° to 55° for the flap and about 25° to 30° for the fore flap.

The maximum section lift coefficient of the airfoil section with either a split or double slotted flap decreased as the position of minimum pressure was moved to the rear or as the airfoil thickness was decreased to 0.08 chord. In all cases, the maximum section lift coefficient increased as the Reynolds number was increased from 2.1×10^6 to 6.0×10^6 but generally decreased or remained constant as the Reynolds number was increased from 6.0×10^6 to 9.0×10^6 .

Increasing the fore-flap chord provided increases in the maximum section lift coefficients of both the NACA 64-208 and the NACA 66-210 airfoil sections with double slotted flaps. The addition of standard roughness to the leading edges of the airfoils equipped with double slotted flaps generally decreased the maximum section lift coefficients by amounts slightly less than those obtained with the flaps retracted, decreased the variation of the maximum section lift coefficient with position of minimum pressure and with airfoil thickness, and caused the stalls to be less abrupt than those for the smooth condition. The ratio of increment of section pitching-moment coefficient to increment of section lift

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$$0^{\circ}$$
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total chord of the airfoil with the double slotted flap extended was approximately the same as that obtained for the airfoil with the split flap. An unstable pitching-moment break was encountered at the stall for each of the airfoils when equipped with the double slotted flaps and seemed to be peculiar to double slotted flaps.

INTRODUCTION

The use of thin wing sections to increase the critical speeds of high-speed, highly loaded airplanes has been accompanied by the need for suitable high-lift devices to be used for take-off and landing. An investigation was made in the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence tunnels to determine high-lift trailing-edge flaps suitable for use on thin wing sections that are most likely to be used on high-speed aircraft. The first part of this investigation, reported in reference 1, covers the tests of four types of flap for the NACA 65-210 airfoil section. The double slotted flap, discussed in reference 1, gave maximum lift coefficients higher than any one of the three single slotted flaps tested. The second part of this investigation, reported herein, covers the tests of similar double-slotted-flap configurations for six other thin NACA airfoil sections. Data from reference 1 on the NACA 65-210 airfoil section with a double slotted flap are included to complete the comparison of the results obtained.

The seven thin NACA airfoil sections tested with double slotted flaps in the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence tunnels are as follows: NACA 63-210, 64-208, 64-210, 64-212, 65-210, 66-210, and 1410 airfoil sections. Profiles of the plain airfoil sections are shown in figure 1.

The ideal maximum lift configurations were determined at a Reynolds number of 2.4×10^6 for each of the double slotted flaps which consisted of a 0.250-chord main flap and a 0.075-chord fore flap. The section lift and pitching-moment characteristics were then measured at higher

Reynolds numbers up to 9.0×10^6 for configurations that not only approximated the ideal maximum lift configurations but that also allowed the flap and fore flap to retract as a unit within the airfoil contour. The effects of leading-edge roughness on the section lift characteristics were determined at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 .

Data on the lift and pitching-moment characteristics of these airfoil sections equipped with 0.20-chord split flaps deflected 60° are included to show a comparison between the effects of the two types of flap.

SYMBOLS

α _O	section angle of attack, degrees
С	airfoil chord with flap retracted
٥ı	section lift coefficient
c _l max	maximum section lift coefficient
c _m c/4	section pitching-moment coefficient about quarter-chord point
8 _f	flap deflection (see fig. 2)
δ _{ff}	fore-flap deflection, measured between fore-flap chord line and airfoil chord line, degrees
x/c	distance along airfoil chord line, fraction of chord
t/c	airfoil thickness, fraction of chord
x ₁ , y ₁	horizontal and vertical positions, respectively, of the fore-flap reference point measured from trailing edge of slot lip in percent chord (x positive forward and y positive down) (fig. 2)
*2 , \$2	horizontal and vertical positions, respectively, of flap reference point measured from trailing edge of fore flap in percent chord (x positive forward and y positive down) (fig. 2)
R	Reynolds number

Δc, increment of section lift coefficient

 Δc_{m} increment of section pitching-moment coefficient

MODELS

Each of the models tested had a chord of 24 inches and completely spanned the 3-foot-wide test sections of the two tunnels. The main part of each model ahead of the flap was constructed of laminated mahogany, and the flaps were constructed of steel. A typical airfoil with double slotted flap, including the essential dimensions, is shown in figure 2. Ordinates for the plain airfoil sections are given in tables 1 to 7.

Each of the main flaps was of 0.250 chord and was obtained by scaling the ordinates of the main flap tested on the NACA 65-210 airfoil section (reference 1) in proportion to the airfoil thickness at each station along the chord. Ordinates of the flaps tested are given in tables 8 to 14. Each of the flaps was tested in combination with the 0.075c fore flap used in reference 1. In addition, the NACA 64-208 airfoil was tested with a 0.056c fore flap and the NACA 66-210 airfoil was tested with a 0.100c fore flap. Sketches of the three fore flaps are presented as figure 3, and their ordinates are given in tables 15 to 17. The flaps and fore flaps were attached to the main parts of the models at the ends in such a manner that they could be set at any desired positions and deflections. The flap and fore-flap positions were measured from their reference points, which are defined as the intersection of their chord lines with their leading edges. (See fig. 2)

For tests of each model in the smooth condition, the model was sanded with No. 400 carborundum paper to produce aerodynemically smooth surfaces. For tests of the airfoil with leading-edge roughness, the surfaces were the same as for the smooth condition except that 0.011-inch carborundum grains were applied over a surface length of 0.16 chord centered at the chord line. This leading-edge-roughness condition corresponds to the standard roughness described in reference 2.

APPARATUS AND TESTS

The investigation was made in the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence tunnel and the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence pressure tunnel.

Section lift characteristics were obtained from static-pressure measurements along the floor and ceiling of the tunnel test section, and section pitching-moment characteristics were determined from deflections of a torque tube. Details of the test methods and the methods used in correcting the data to free-air conditions are given in reference 2.

Lift measurements were made at a Reynolds number of $2.4 \times 10^{\circ}$ in the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence tunnel to obtain the ideal configurations. The ideal configurations (those giving the highest maximum lift coefficients) were determined by first determining the ideal position of the flap relative to the fore flap for several combinations of flap and fore-flap deflections. The configuration giving the highest maximum lift was, if necessary, altered slightly to allow the flap and fore flap to be retracted as a unit within the wing contour. With the position of the flap thus fixed relative to the fore flap, lift measurements were made to obtain the best position of the flap and foreflap combination. This resulting position is called the optimum position. The optimum positions developed in the Langley two-dimensional lowturbulence tunnel at each of several deflections were then tested in the Langley two-dimensional low-turbulence pressure tunnel at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 . For the configuration giving the highest maximum lift coefficient at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 , pitching-moment characteristics and the effect of leading edge roughness on the lift characteristics were also determined at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 . and the lift characteristics were determined at Reynolds numbers of 3.0×10^6 and 9.0×10^6 . The maximum free-stream Mach number attained during any of these tests was less than 0.18.

PRESENTATION OF RESULTS

The data obtained for the airfoil section with a double slotted flap at a Reynolds number of 2.4×10^6 are presented as contours of maximum lift coefficient for various flap and fore-flap positions. These data indicate the maximum section lift coefficient that may be obtained for a given flap position and deflection, or the loss in maximum section lift coefficient that may result if flap positions other than the ideal are selected.

The lift characteristics at a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 are presented for several of the more promising double-slotted-flap configurations for each airfoil section. The section pitching-moment characteristics for the smooth condition and also the lift characteristics for the condition with leading-edge roughness are presented for the

configuration having the highest maximum lift coefficient at a Reynolds number of $6.0 \times 10^{\circ}$. Additional data are presented showing the lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the plain airfoil section at several Reynolds numbers and the lift and pitching-moment characteristics at a Reynolds number of $6.0 \times 10^{\circ}$ for the airfoil section with a 0.20-chord split flap deflected 60° . The data for the plain airfoil section and the airfoil with a split flap were obtained from reference 2. In some cases, data for the airfoil section with a split flap were available for several additional Reynolds numbers and are also included.

The figures in which the data are presented for each of the airfoil sections tested are listed in the following table:

NACA airfoil section	63-210	64-208	64-210	65-210	66-210	1410	64,-212
Data .			1	igur	ө		
Plain airfoil and split flaps	4	8	13	19	20	27	31
Contours of flap position for c _{lmax}	5	9	14	17	p51 [†] 51	28	32
Contours of fore-flap position for c max	6	. 10	15	18	²² 25	29	33
Characteristics for optimum configuration	7	11 a12	16	19	ъ <mark>26</mark>	30	34

a0.056c fore flap.

b0.100c fore flap.

DISCUSSION

Maximum Lift

Effect of flap and fore-flap position.— The variation of the section lift characteristics of the flapped airfoil section as the flap position varies is primarily a result of changes in the slot shapes. A secondary effect, resulting from the change in airfoil chord as the flap is moved chordwise, also exists; but within the range of positions for these tests, this effect is small. The ideal configurations are therefore the ones for which the best slot shapes are formed at the flap and fore-flap leading edges. The data shown on the contours of flap and fore-flap position indicate that the ideal flap and fore-flap configuration for meximum lift is one that forms converging nozzles and directs the air flow downward over both the flap and fore flap.

For most of the ideal configurations with the 0.075c fore flap, the fore flav was located approximately 1 percent chord forward of the slot lip and approximately 2 percent chord below the slot lip. For the NACA 63-210 airfoil section, however, (fig. 6) the ideal fore-flap position was approximately 1 percent chord farther forward than the average. Although the best position of the fore flap for the NACA 64,-212 airfoil is actually behind the slot lip (fig. 33), little difference exists between the maximum lift coefficients obtained at the ideal position and at the position corresponding to the average of the others. The flap positions for the ideal configurations varied considerably for each of the airfoil and flap combinations tested. as would probably be expected inasmuch as each airfoil section was tested with the flap designed for that airfoil. An indication of the ideal double-slotted-flap configurations for airfoils and flaps similar to those tested in this investigation may be obtained from the contours of flap position. These configurations, however, should not be applied to airfoil-flap combinations having shapes radically different from those tested. In addition, an indication of the loss in maximum section lift coefficient which may be caused by structural deflections of the flap or by construction errors may be obtained from the contours. For example, in the case of the NACA 63-210 airfoil section (fig. 5(a)), a departure of 0.01c from the ideal flar position can decrease the maximum section lift coefficient by as much as 0.3. For most of the optimum configurations, the flap deflection was 50° or 55° and the fore-flap deflection was 25° or 30° , although little difference existed in the maximum lift coefficients measured for these deflections. Increasing the deflection of the fore-flap aids both in forming a converging slot and in directing the air flow downward over the flar. A limit is reached in these effects, however, when the fore-flap deflection becomes high enough to cause the flow over the upper surface of the fore flap itself to separate. The use of the optimum flap positions rather than the ideal positions in the tests which followed generally resulted in a decrease in maximum lift coefficient of less than 0.1.

Effect of fore-flap chord.— The data presented in figures 23 and 26 show that increasing the fore-flap chord from 0.075c to 0.100c increased the maximum section lift coefficient of the NACA 66-210 airfoil section by approximately 0.1 at a Reynolds number of 6.0 × 10⁶. A comparison of the data presented in figures 11 and 12 indicates that decreasing the fore-flap chord from 0.075c to 0.056c results in a slight decrease in the maximum section lift coefficient of the NACA 64-208 airfoil section with a double slotted flap. The data presented in reference 3 also show that increasing the fore-flap chord may be beneficial in increasing the maximum section lift coefficient. The increase in maximum section lift coefficient obtained by the use of larger fore flaps may be attributed to a combination of the increased area of the lifting surface and better slot shapes.

Effect of position of minimum pressure.— The variation of c \imath_{mex}

with the position of minimum pressure for several NACA 6-series airfoils of 10-percent thickness is presented in figure 35 for a Reynolds number of 6.0×10^6 . Data presented in reference 2 indicate that for airfoil sections of thicknesses less than about 0.12c, the stall usually begins at the leading edge. Since the leading-edge radii of NACA 6-series airfoils decrease as the position of minimum pressure moves to the rear, this type of stall becomes more pronounced. The decrease in maximum lift coefficient with rearward movement of the position of minimum pressure, shown in figure 35, is therefore probably caused principally by the decrease in leading-edge radius. For thicker airfoil sections, where the stall begins over some rear part of the airfoil instead of near the leading edge, the decrease in the leading-edge radius with rearward movement of the position of minimum pressure is expected to have a smaller effect on the maximum section lift coefficient. The increment in section lift coefficient caused by the addition of the double slotted flap to the NACA 6-series plain airfoil section having a maximum thickness of 10 percent chord remained substantially constant (approx. 1.4) over the range of minimum pressure positions tested.

Effect of airfoil thickness.— The variation of maximum lift coefficient with airfoil thickness for the three NACA 64—series airfoils tested is shown in figure 35. The data in figure 35 show that for airfoil thicknesses between 0.12c and 0.08c the maximum lift coefficients of the plain airfoils and the airfoils with both split and double slotted flaps decrease as the airfoil thickness is decreased, although not all in the same manner. The increment of maximum lift coefficient caused by the double slotted flap decreases at a nearly constant rate as the thickness is decreased, while the increment in maximum lift coefficient caused by the split flap decreases as the thickness is decreased from 0.12c to 0.10c and then increases again as the thickness is further decreased to 0.08c.

Data in reference 2 have shown that the maximum lift coefficients of most airfoil sections decrease as the airfoil thickness is increased above about 0.12c although the maximum lifts of these same airfoils when equipped with split flaps continue to increase up to a thickness as high as 0.16c or 0.18c. Previous scattered data have shown that the maximum lift coefficients of airfoil sections equipped with double slotted flaps follow the same general trend. The data in figure 35 extend these previous results down to a thickness of 0.08c.

The maximum lift coefficient of the NACA 1410 airfoil, also shown in figure 35, is approximately the same as the maximum lift coefficient for the NACA 647-212 airfoil section.

Reynolds number effect.— The variation of maximum section lift coefficient with Reynolds number is shown in figure 36. In all cases, increasing the Reynolds number from 2.4×10^6 to 6.0×10^6 resulted in large increases in the maximum section lift coefficients. Increasing the Reynolds number from 6.0×10^6 to 9.0×10^6 , however, caused slight decreases or no change in the maximum lift coefficients of each of the airfoil sections with double slotted flap except the NACA 64-210 section. Figure 11 indicates that the NACA 64-208 section followed the same trend as the NACA 64-210 section.

An explanation of scale effect on the maximum lift of airfoil sections is given in reference 4, and this explanation is usually applicable to airfoils with flaps. Variations of the lift with Reynolds number are generally apparent only in regions of incipient stall (high angles of attack), but for these thin airfoil sections with double slotted flaps the lift decreases with increase in Reynolds number in the linear part of the lift curve (low angles of attack). This decrease in lift coefficient is probably caused by changes in the flow conditions through the slots as the Reynolds number is varied. Therefore, a new ideal configuration could probably be developed at higher Reynolds numbers, and slightly higher maximum lifts might be obtained.

Effect of flap on angle of attack for maximum lift.— A comparison of the data for the plain airfoil sections and that for the airfoils with flaps deflected shows that the stall occurs at a considerably lower angle of attack when the flap is deflected. The deflection of a trailing-edge flap causes an incremental load distribution which consists of an incremental basic load distribution and an incremental additional load distribution. (See reference 5.) The decrease in the angle of attack at which the stall occurs is attributed to the fact that the additional load, which comprises a large part of the incremental load distribution, increases the adverse pressure gradient in the vicinity of the airfoil leading edge; and, therefore, the critical pressure gradient is attained

at a lower angle of attack.

Effect of leading-edge roughness.— The addition of standard roughness to the leading edge of the airfoil decreased the maximum lift coefficients of all the airfoil configurations in such a way that only a slight variation of maximum lift coefficient with position of minimum pressure occurred. (See fig. 35.)

The maximum lift coefficients of the plain airfoil and the airfoil with either of the flaps in the rough condition, increased as the airfoil thickness was increased but not so rapidly as in the smooth condition. For the airfoil with either a split or a double slotted flap, the decrement in maximum section lift coefficient caused by leadingedge roughness was less than that obtained for the plain airfoil section with the exception of the NACA 1410 and the NACA 641-212 airfoils which gave slightly higher decrements with the double slotted flap deflected.

A comparison of the lift curves for the smooth condition with those for the condition with leading-edge roughness indicates that for thin airfoil sections, leading-edge roughness tends to give a less abrupt stall than that obtained for the smooth condition. This change in the type of stall can be attributed to the manner in which the stall occurs. For a smooth thin airfoil section, the stall first occurs in the vicinity of the leading edge; whereas with leading-edge roughness the stall occurs over some rear part of the airfoil and progresses forward.

Pitching Moments

Glauert has shown in reference 6 that for plain trailing-edge hinged flaps, the incremental pitching moment caused by the deflection of a flap is a linear function of the incremental lift coefficient. The rather meager data in figure 37 show that this linear relation is probably also true for airfoils with split or double slotted flaps. If

the ratio $\left(\frac{\Delta c}{\Delta c_1}\right)_{\alpha_0=0}$ is calculated on the basis of the total chord of

the model with the double slotted flap extended, reasonably good agreement is shown for the double slotted flap and the split flap on these airfoil sections. The total chord with the flap extended is equal to the sum of the flap chord and the distance from the airfoil leading edge to the flap leading edge.

For each of these airfoil sections equipped with the double slotted flap, an unstable break in the pitching-moment curve (decrease in negative pitching moment) occurs at the stall. This unstable break seems to be peculiar to the double slotted flaps since it occurs in no case for the plain airfoil or for the airfoil with the split flap. The actual

cause of this phenomenon is not clear and an analysis of pressuredistribution data would be required to shown what flow changes determine the stability of the section at the stall.

CONCLUSIONS

Seven thin NACA airfoil sections — the NACA 63-210, 64-208, 64-210, 64₁-212, 65-210, 66-210, and 1410 airfoil sections — equipped with double slotted flaps were tested. Each airfoil was tested with a double slotted flap consisting of a 0.250-chord main flap and 0.075-chord fore flap. In addition, the NACA 66-210 airfoil was tested with a 0.100-chord fore flap and the NACA 64-208 airfoil was tested with a 0.056-chord fore flap. The results of the tests provided the following conclusions:

- 1. The optimum fore-flap positions for these airfoils were generally about 1 percent chord forward and 2 percent chord below the slot lip. The optimum flap positions varied considerably. The deflections for which the highest maximum lift coefficients were measured were about 50° to 55° for the flap and about 25° to 30° for the fore flap.
- 2. For the airfoil section with either a split or double slotted flap, the maximum section lift coefficient decreased as the position of minimum pressure was moved to the rear and as the airfoil thickness was decreased to 0.08 chord.
- 3. In all cases, the maximum section lift coefficient increased appreciably as the Reynolds number was increased from 2.4 \times 10⁶ to 6.0 \times 10⁶ but generally decreased slightly or remained constant as the Reynolds number was increased from 6.0 \times 10⁶ to 9.0 \times 10⁶.
- $^{\text{h}}$. Increasing the fore-flap chord provided increases in the maximum section lift coefficients of the NACA 6^{h} -208 and the NACA 66-210 airfoil sections with double slotted flaps.
- 5. The addition of standard roughness to the leading edges of the airfoils equipped with double slotted flaps caused decrements in maximum lift coefficient that were generally slightly less than those with flaps retracted, caused a decrease in the variation of maximum lift coefficient with position of minimum pressure and with airfoil thickness, and caused the stalls to be less abrupt than those for the airfoil in the smooth condition.

6. The ratio of increment of section pitching-moment coefficient to increment of section lift coefficient at a section angle of attack

of
$$0^{\circ} \left(\frac{\Delta c_{m}}{\Delta c_{l}}\right)_{\alpha_{0}=0^{\circ}}$$
 based on the total chord of the airfoil with the

double slotted flap extended was approximately the same as that obtained for the airfoil with the split flap.

7. An unstable pitching moment break is encountered at the stall for each of the airfoils when equipped with the double slotted flaps and seems to be peculiar to double slotted flaps.

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TABLE 1
ORDINATES FOR NACA 63-210 AIRFOIL
Stations and ordinates given
in percent sirfoil chord

Upper surface Lower surface				
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Station Ordinate	Station	Ordinate		
0	0 75182418 8352418 10 571618 10 56192 11 11 1983 10 56192 10 56192	0 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		

TABLE 3
ORDINATES FOR NACA 66-210 AIRFOIL
[Stations and ordinates given in percent airfoil chord]

Upper surface Lower surface				
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate	
0 1379124 11410299937244 1779399973124 1779399973124 177939997999884 11949999884 11949999884 11949999884 1194999884 1194999884 119499984 119499984 119499984 119499984 119499984 119499984 1194984 119498 1194984 119498 119	0 11223445555666555544321 0	0 564 1.329 1.5588 5.6601 2.5598 5.6602 1.50.00763 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.0000 2.50.000000 2.50.00000 2.50.000000 2.50.0000000000	0 - 11790 784317790 971199647114882058 9871199648889680 9887711996969 987797777777777777777777777777777	
L.E. radius: 0.662 Slope of radius through L.E.: 0.084				

TABLE 2

ORDINATES FOR NACA 65-210 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given
in percent simfoil chord

TABLE 4

ORDINATES FOR NACA 1410 AIRPOIL

Stations and ordinates given in percent airfoil chord

Upper surface		Lower	surface	
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate	
0 1-748 2-1398 2-139708 2-139708 14-139708 14-13970 19-13970 19-1300 1	97478219065241325 6298365894389041325 629836589438904581	0 1.326 2.602 5.130 7.612 10.1146 15.129 25.093 40.000 49.975 59.949 79.951 89.979 100.000	0 1-2-5-5-6-7-2-4-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	
L.E. radius: 1.10 Slope of radius through L.E.: 0.05				

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TABLE 5 ORDINATES FOR HACA 64-208 AIRPOIL Etations and ordinates given in percent sirfoil chord

Upper	surface	Lower	surface
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
0 1848 1888 1841 1841 1841 1841 1841 1841	0 7662 11516867 7662 11516867 7762 1122 7762 7762 7762 7762 7762 77	0 1.0.5.15.6.5.0.5.6.0.5.0.5	0 - 6826 - 6826

L.E. radius · 0.455 Slope of radius through L.E.; 0.084

TABLE 6 ORDINATES FOR MACA 64-210 AIRFOIL

Etations and ordinates given in percent sirfoil chord

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Upper	Upper surface		aurface		
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate		
0 1214791485914859595959595959595959595959595959595959	0 11127564771566655571566689864	0 .569 1.8737.91 1.17.695.11.0	01-1-2-2-2-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3		
Slope of	L.E. radius: 0.720 Slope of radius through L.E.: 0.084				

TABLE 7

ORDINATES FOR MACA 641-212 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given in percent airfoil chord

0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	In persons airroit short			
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	Upper	surface	Lower	surface
. 1,18	Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
24,903 6.170 25.097 -1.870 29,921 6.815 30.079 -1.871 34,911 7.008 35.059 -1.918 39,961 7.052 10.059 -1.918 39,961 7.052 10.059 -1.910 44,982 6.893 15.018 -1.705 50.000 6.583 50.000 -1.377 55.016 6.151 51.981 -3.961 60.029 5.619 59.971 -3.477 65.039 5.004 61.961 -3.961 70.045 1.322 69.955 -2.378 75.017 3.590 71.995 -1.233 80.045 2.825 79.955 -1.233 80.045 2.825 79.955 -1.233 85.078 2.054 81.962 -708 90.027 1.303 89.977 -269 90.027 1.303 89.977 -269 95.017 6.604 91.987 .028	189778886652869911161888665258699999575587730	111255419880 0215741980 0215741980 02	583-158-138-1575-998-8-5-1-0-5-5-5-5-8-8-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5	255996177256691800771748038898 9107849595978899100771748038898 9107849789788998

ope of redins through L.E.: 0.064

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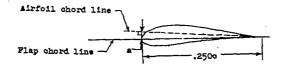


TABLE 8 .

FLAF ORDINATES FOR 63-210 AIRPOIL

Btations and ordinates given from flap
chord line in percent airfoil chord

TABLE 10

FLAP ORDINATES FOR 66-210 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap
chord line in percent airfoil chord

Upper surface Lower surface				
upper	aurrace			
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate	
0 2500 1 0000000000000000000000000000000000	9556 9556500 90550 55578 9756 9556 900 900 55578 1111 444 44 4555544	0 2500 2.500 2.500 2.500 9.000 15.000 12.000 21.000 21.000	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
L.E. radius: 1.207 L.E. radius center: 0.295 about flap chord line Dimension a: 0.752				

TABLE 9

FLAP ORDINATES FOR 65-210 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap
chord line in percent airfoil chord

OLIO LA	Tine in per			
Upper	surface	Lower	surface	
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate	
0	0 111111111111111111111111111111111111	854493889983949998 854493889983949998	0	
L.E. radius: 0.800 L.E. radius center: 0.240 above flap chord line Dimension a: 0.400				

TABLE 11
FLAP ORDINATES FOR 1410 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap chord line in percent airfoil chord

Upper surface		Lower	surface
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
0 .25 1.000 .000 .000 .000 .000 .000 .000 .00	0 8948 8948 11.18 93.068 15.568 15.568 11.83 12.22 12.	0 25 1.00 2.50 2.50 3.00 2.50 3.00 15.00 18.00 18.00 21.00 21.00 21.00	0 6924 11151 11151 11151 1155 1557 1557 1557 1111
L.E. radius: 0.831 L.E. radius center: 0.249 above flap chord line			

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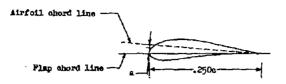


TABLE 12

FLAP ORDINATES FOR 64-208 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap chord line in percent airful chord

Upper surface		Lower	surface
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
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L.E. radius: 0.11 L.E. radius center: 0.171 above flap chord line Discussion a: 0.060

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PLAP ORDINATES FOR 64-210 AIRPOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap chord line in percent sirfoil chord

Upper surface		Lower	surface
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
0 1235456791500	면 다 나 나 하는 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이 이	2508855588 2508855588 2508855588 250885 250886 250885 250886 250886 250886 250886 250886 250886 250886 2508	0 50 50 90 90 255 04 13

L.E. radius: 0.620 L.E. radius center; 0.170 above flap chord line Dimension a: 0.288

TABLE 11;
FIAP ORDINATES FOR 642-212 AIRFOIL

Stations and ordinates given from flap chord line in percent sirfoil chord

Upper surface		Lower	surface
Station	Ordinate	Station	Ordinate
0 .500 880 880 880 880 880 880 880 880 880	O .11555511551155115511551155115511551155	0 1500 0 500 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 1.1.05550074.955889745

L.E. radius: 0.870 L.E. radius center: 0.260 above flap chord line Dimension a: 0.500

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TABLE 15

OLDICATES FOR 0.056-CHORD FORE FLAP

Stations and ordinates given from fore-flap chord line in percent airfoil chord

Station	Upper ordinate	Lower ordinate
0 110 035715016 120 055715016 110 035715016	0 .32 1.10 1.25 1.31 1.27 1.10 .81 .61 .40 .15	0

L.E. radius: 0.90 (on chard line)

TABLE 16

ORDINATES FOR 0.075-CHORD FORE FLAP

Stations and ordinates given from fore-flup chord line in percent airfoil chord

Station	Upper ordinate	Lower ordinate
0 11 22 5 4 5 6 7 7 7 5 8 2 5 7 7 7 5 8 2 5 7 7 7 5 8 2 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	0 .95 1.312 1.522 1.74: 1.43 1.135 0	0 -1.14 -1.20 -1.21 -1.85 86 -1.27 -1.27 -1.20 -1.21
L.E. radius: 1.20		

L.E. radius: 1.20 (on chord line)

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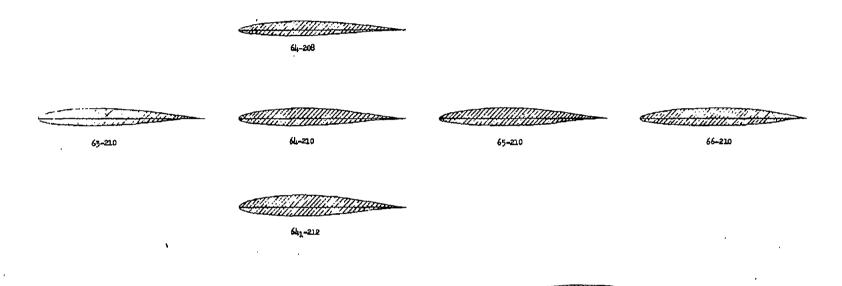
ORDINATES FOR 0.100-CHORD FORE FLAP

Stations and ordinates given from fore-flap chord line in percent airful chord

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Station	Upper ordinate	Lower ordinate	
0 1.00 1.00 2.00 2.50 3.00 4.00 5.00 6.00 7.00 8.00 9.00	0 1.12 1.53 1.81 2.24 2.24 2.24 1.50 1.60 0	0 -1.10 -7.5 -1.22 -1.44 -5.55 -4.57 0	
7 70			

L.E. radius: 1.50 (on shord line)

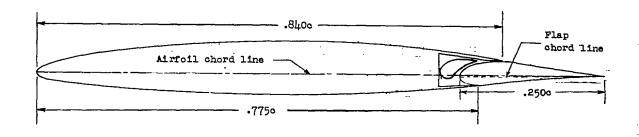
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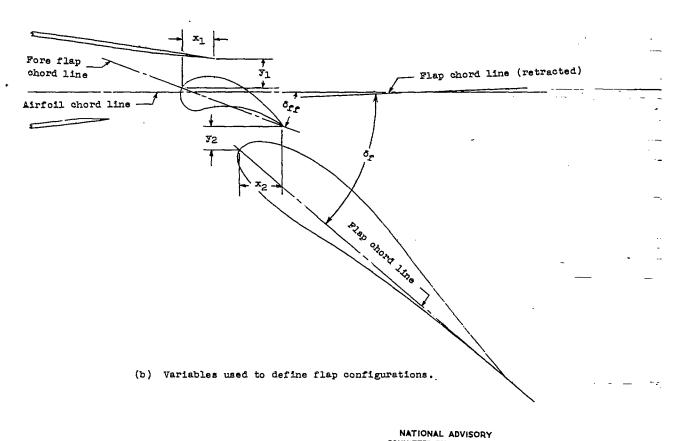
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Figure 1.- Frofiles of MACA sirfoil sections tested with double slotted fisps.



(a) Airfoil with flap.



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Figure 2 .- Typical airfoil and flap configuration.

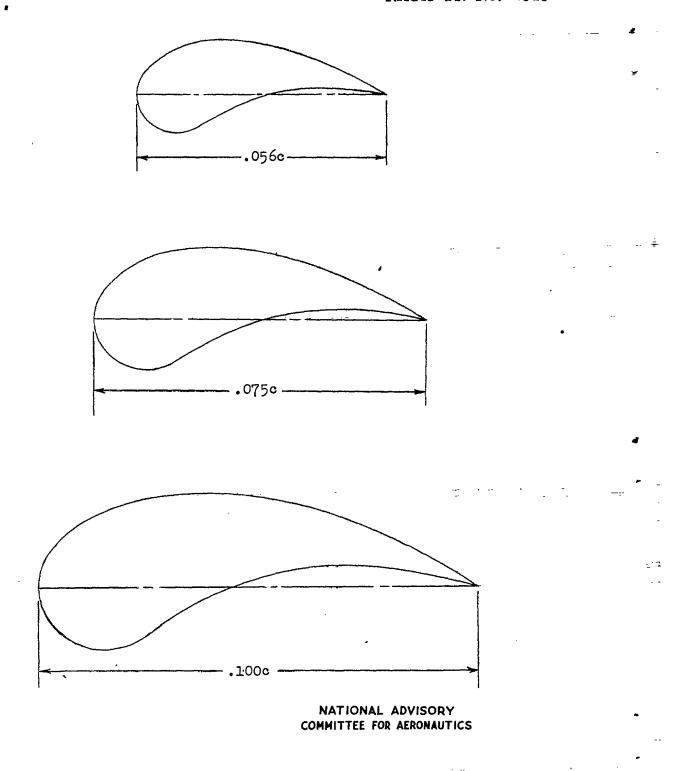
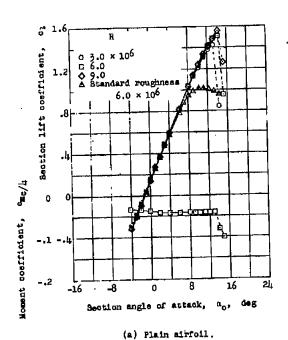


Figure 3.- Profiles of the three fore flaps tested in combination with 0.250c slotted flaps.



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○ 6.0
△ Standard roughness -.1 Moment coefficient, 6.0×10^{6} -.2 -.3 NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS 16 В Section angle of attack, (b) Airfoil with split flap.

Figure 4.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 65-210 airfoil section with and without a 0.20c split flap.

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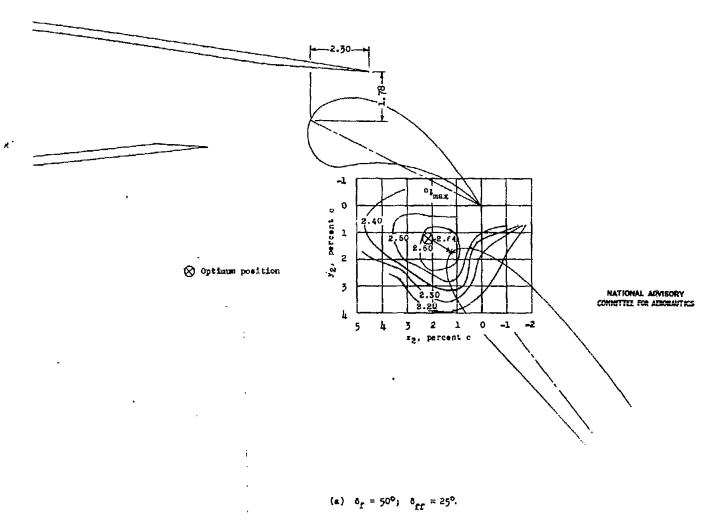
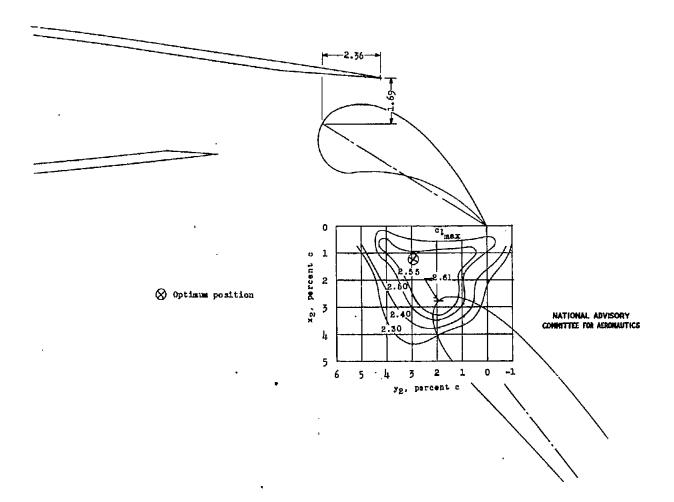


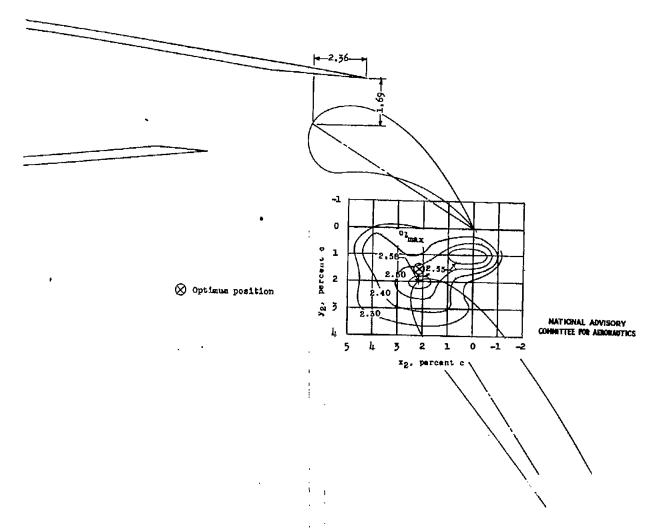
Figure 5.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA 63-210 mirfoll section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $R = 2.6 \times 10^6$.



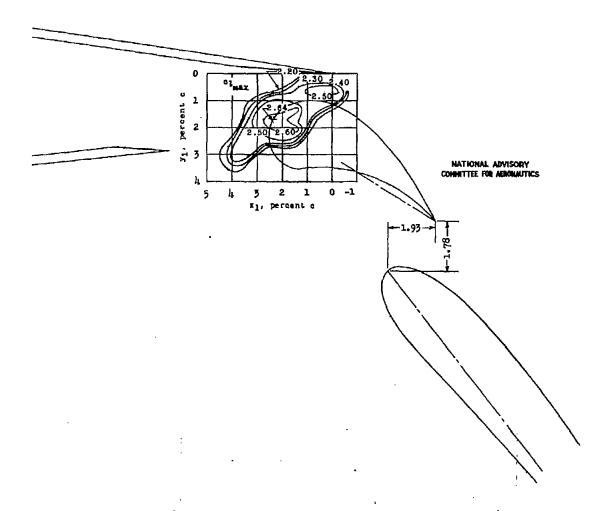
(b) $a_f = 50^\circ$; $a_{ff} = 30^\circ$. Figure 5 .- Continued.

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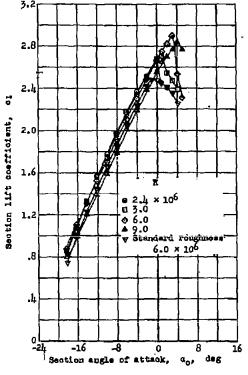


(c) $\delta_f = 55^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 50^\circ$. Figure 5 .- Concluded.



Pignre 6.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the NAGA 63-210 mirroil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_f = 50^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$; $R = 2.1 \times 10^5$.





(a) $\delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}$; $\delta_{f} = 50^{\circ}$. $x_{1} = 2.30$; $y_{1} = 1.78$; $x_{2} = 2.17$; $y_{2} = 1.23$.

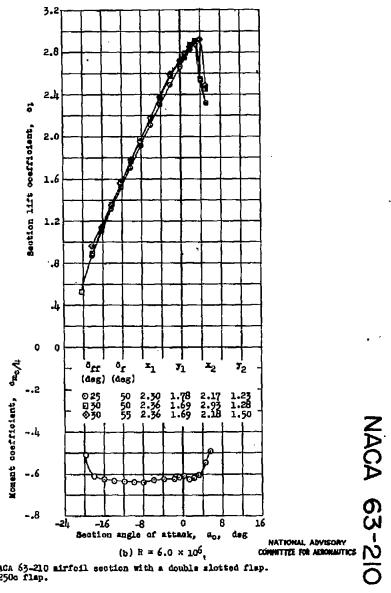
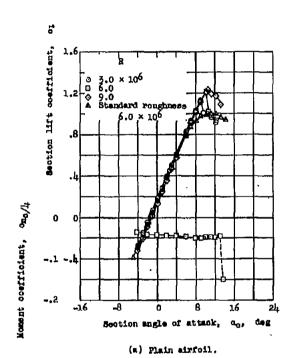


Figure 7.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 63-210 mirfoil section with a double slotted flap. 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap.



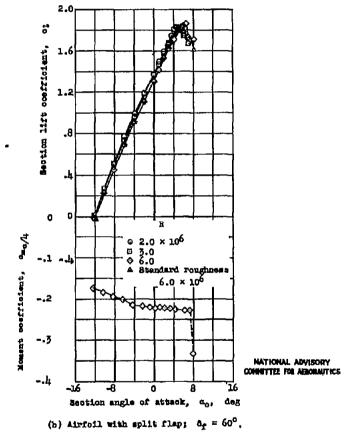


Figure 8 .- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the MACA 64-208 airfeil section with and without a 0.200 split flap.

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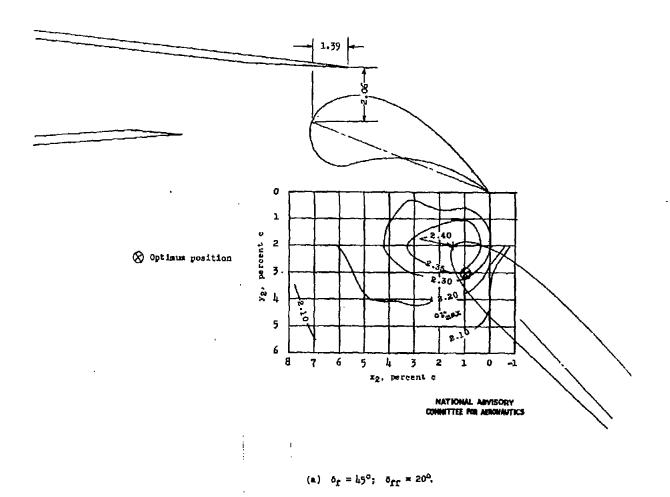
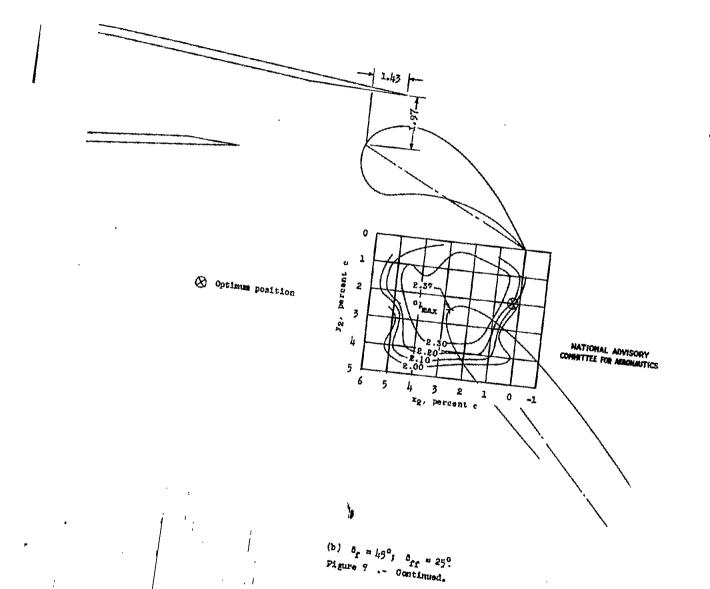
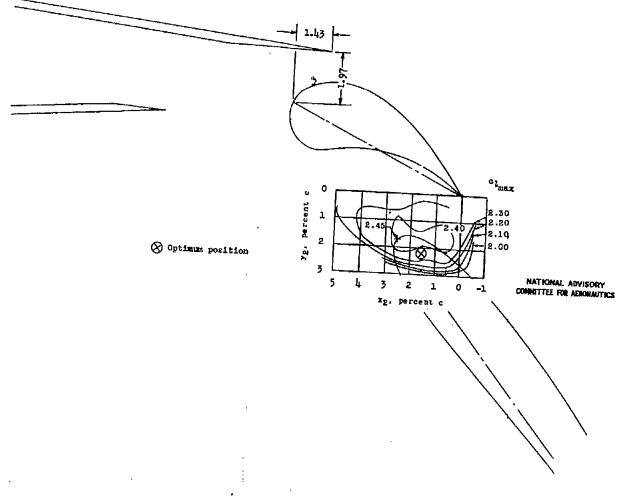


Figure 9.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA $6l_t$ -208 mirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $R = 2.l_t \times 10^6$.

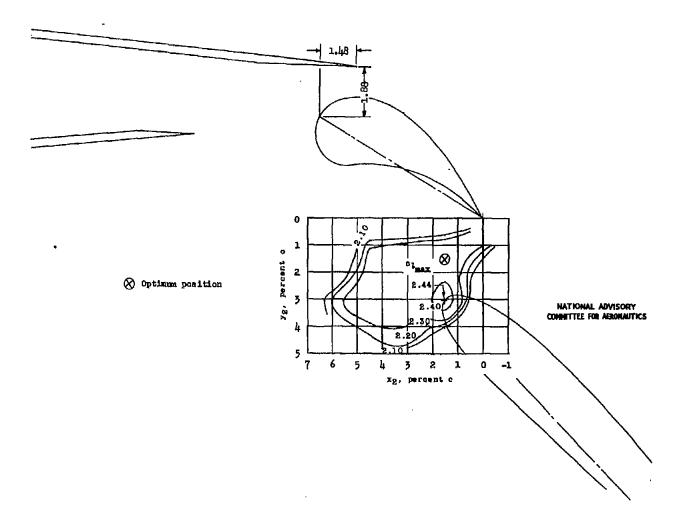
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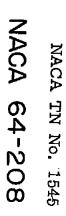


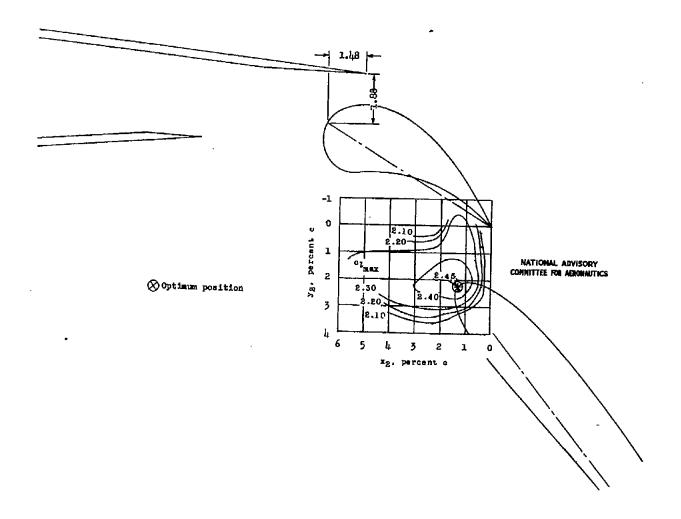


(c) $\delta_{f} = 50^{\circ}; \delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}.$ Figure 9 .- Continued.

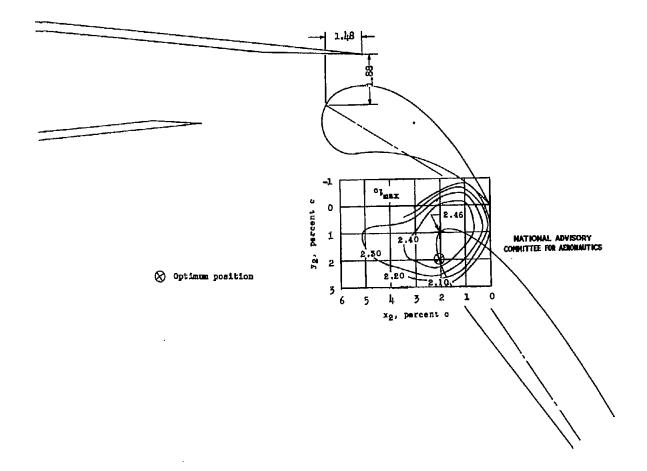


(d) $\delta_f = 45^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$. Figure 9 .- Continued.





(e) $\delta_{\hat{\mathbf{f}}} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\hat{\mathbf{f}}\hat{\mathbf{f}}} = 30^{\circ}$. Figure 7 .- Continued.



(f) $.\delta_{f} = 55^{\circ}; \quad \delta_{ff} = 30^{\circ}.$ Figure 9 .- Concluded.

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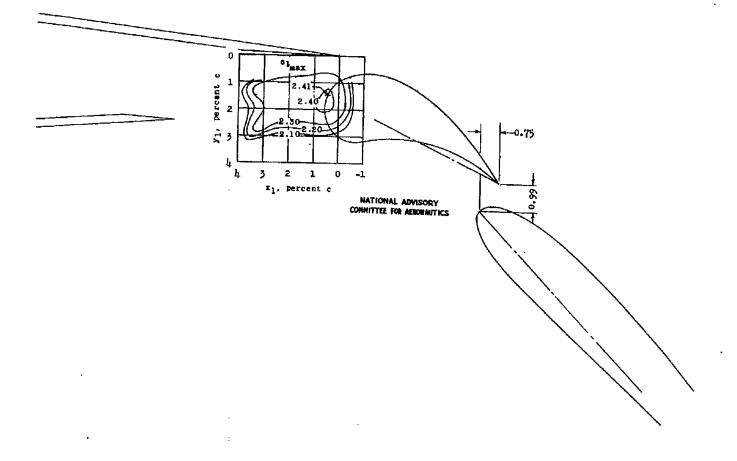


Figure 10.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the NACA 64-208 airfeil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_{\Gamma} = 45^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\Gamma\Gamma} = 25^{\circ}$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^{6}$.

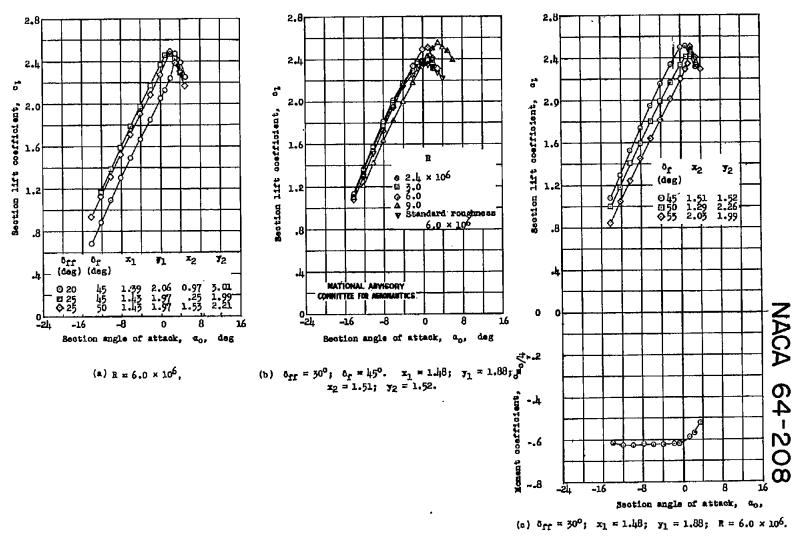


Figure 11.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the MACA 64-208 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap.

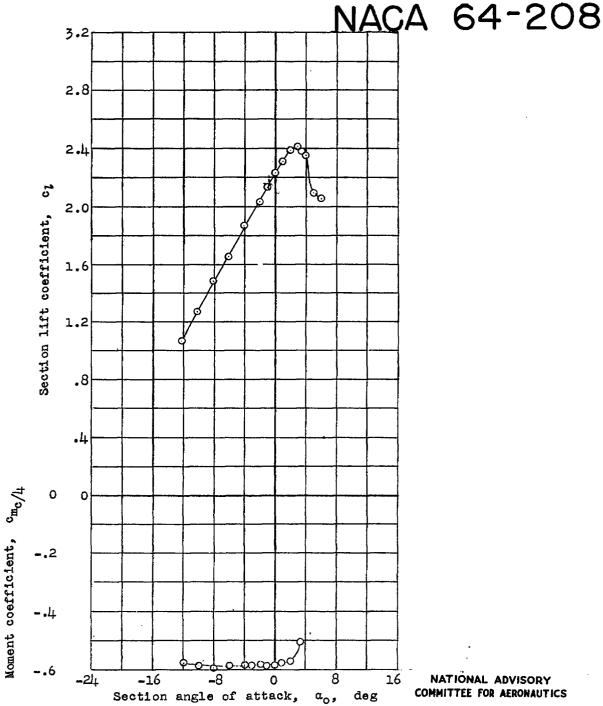
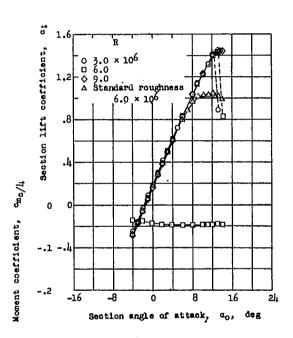


Figure 12.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA $6l_1$ -208 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.056c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_{\rm ff} = 25^{\rm o}$; $\delta_{\rm f} = 50^{\rm o}$; $x_1 = 1.47$; $y_1 = 2.36$; $x_2 = 1.78$; $y_2 = 1.41$; $R = 6.0 \times 10^{\rm f}$.



(a) Plain airfoil.

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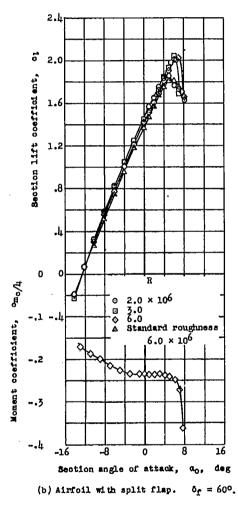


Figure 15.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 64-210 airfoil section with and without a 0.20c split flap.

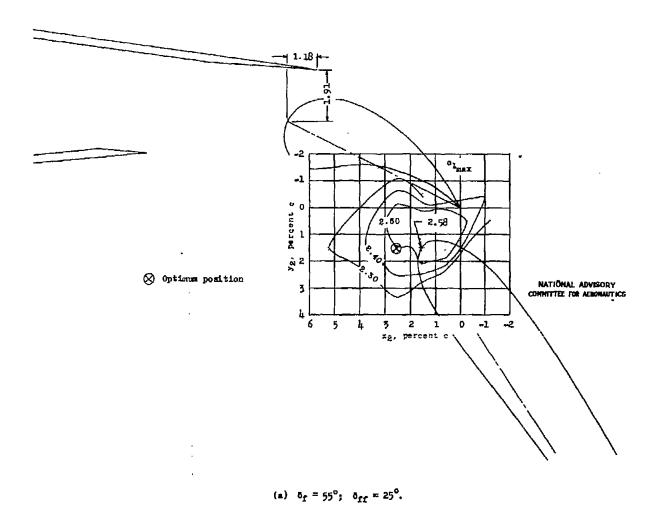
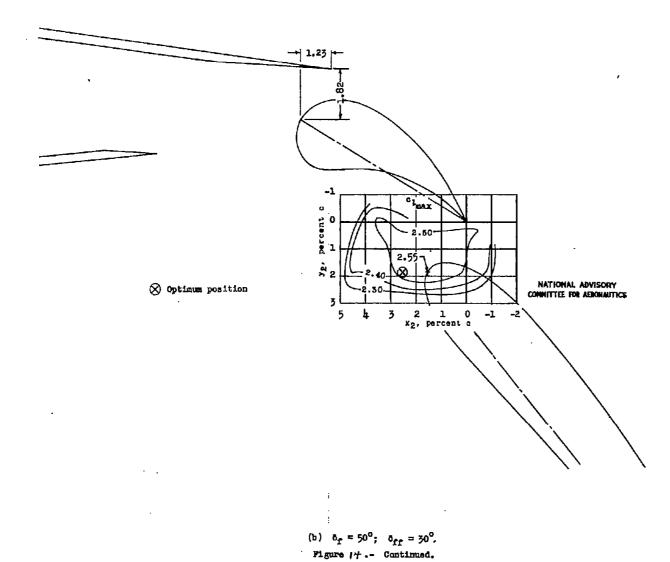
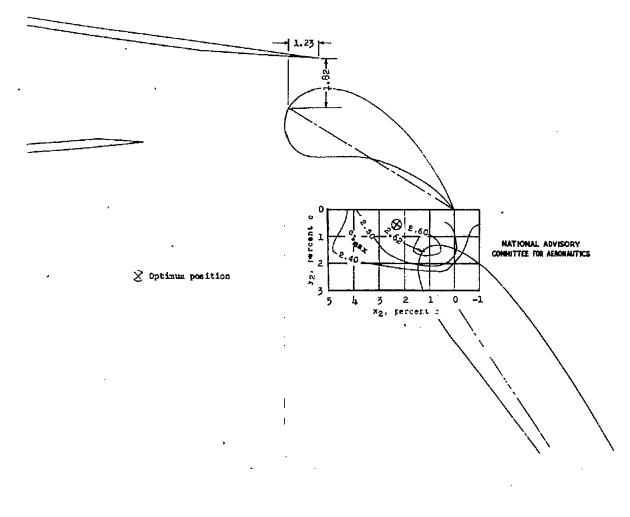


Figure 14.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA 64-210 sirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.0750 fore flap; 0.2500 flap. $E = 2.4 \times 10^6$.



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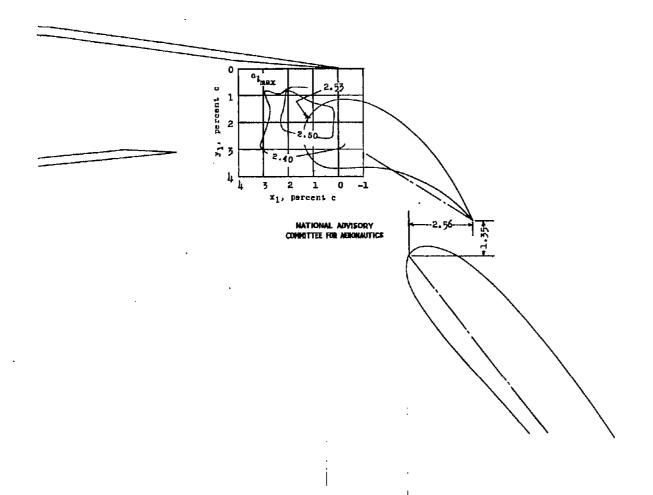


Figure 15.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the NAGA 64-210 mirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_f = 50^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^6$.

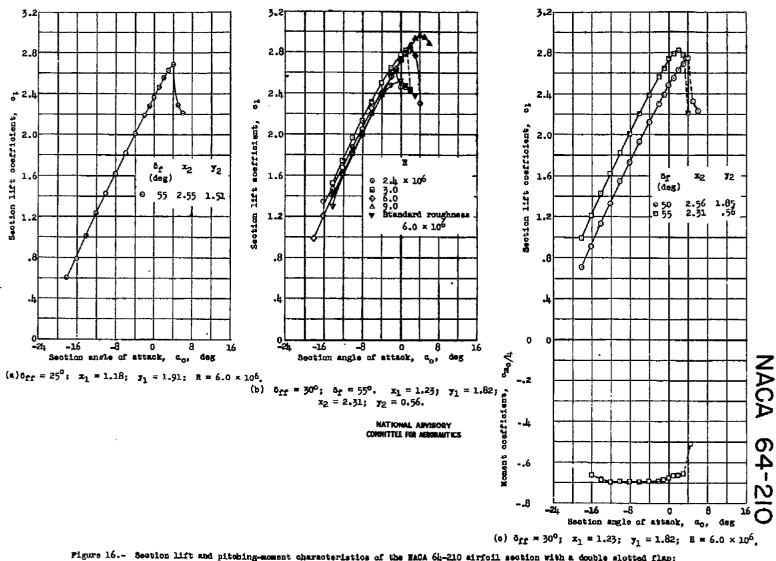


Figure 16.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the HACA 64-210 sirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap.

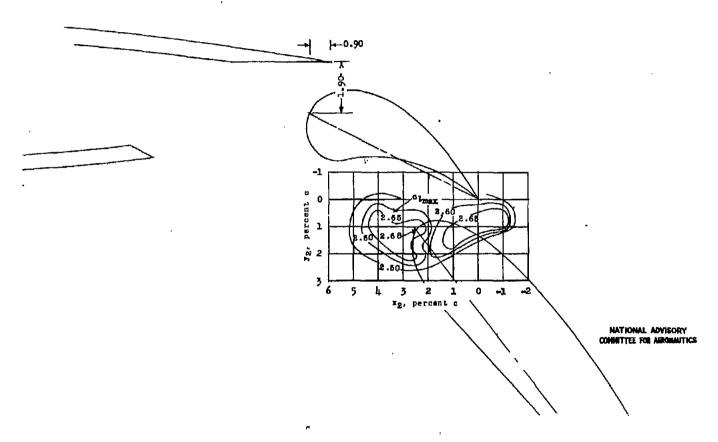
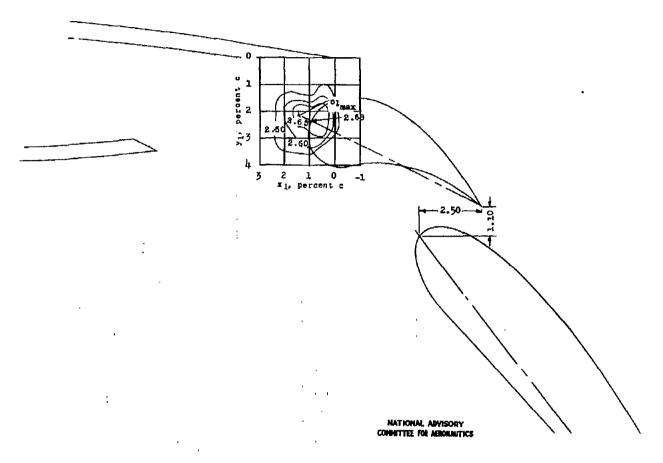
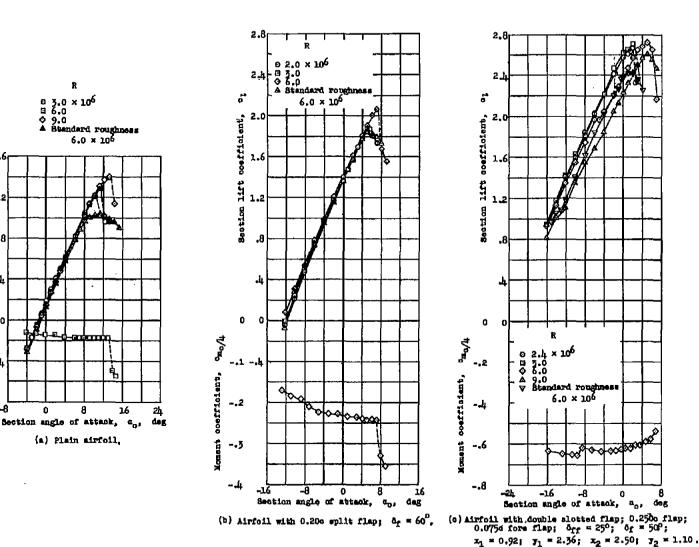


Figure 17.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA 65-210 mirroil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_f = 50^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 25^\circ$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^6$.

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Pigure 18.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the HaCA 65-210 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_{\Gamma} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\Gamma\Gamma} = 25^{\circ}$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^{6}$.



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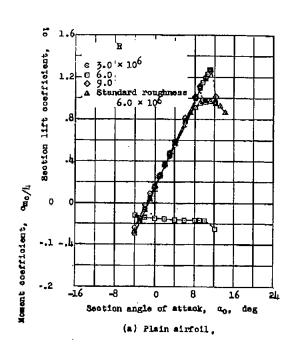
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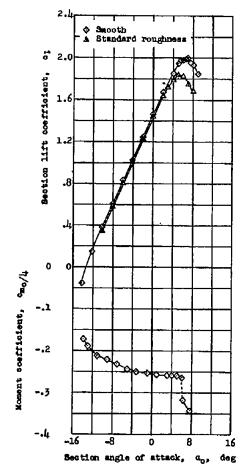
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Figure 19 .- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NAGA 65-210 mirroil section with and without flap.

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(b) Airfoil with split flap; $\delta_{\Gamma} = 60^{\circ}$; $R = 6.0 \times 10^{\delta}$.

Figure 20.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 66-210 airfoil section with and without a 0.20c split flap.

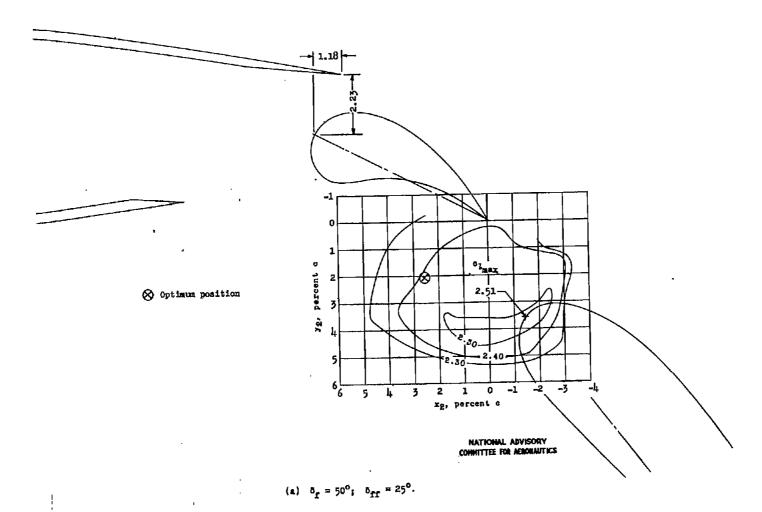
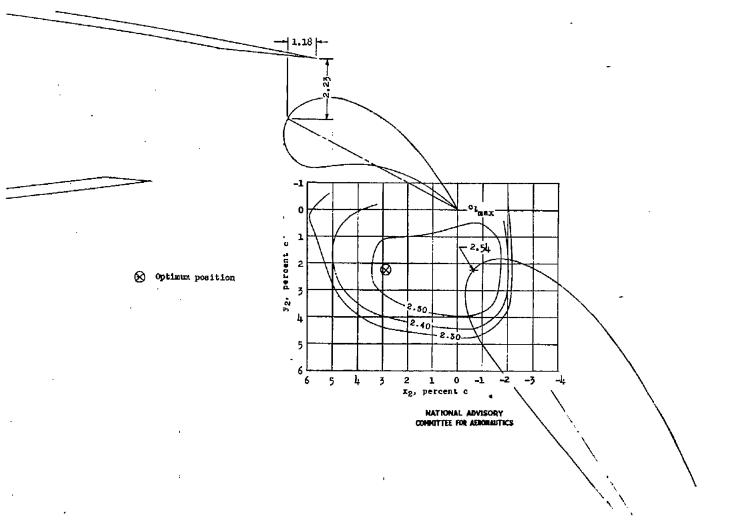
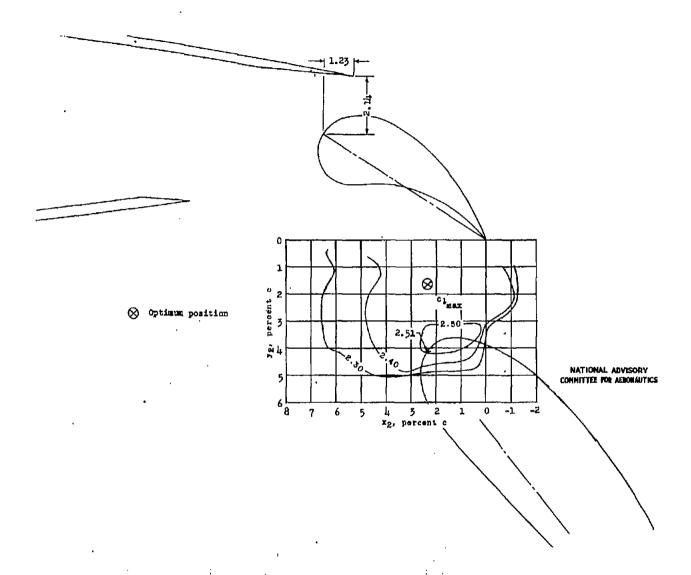


Figure 21.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the MAGA 66-210 mirroil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. R = 2.4 × 106.

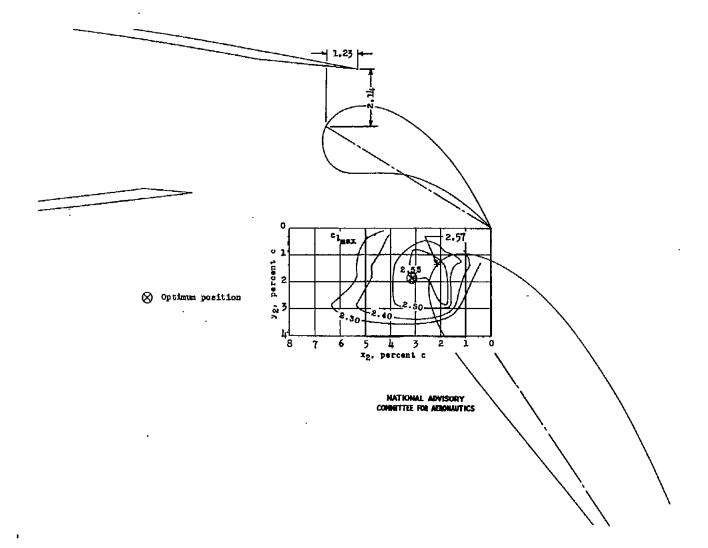


(b) $\delta_{f} = 55^{\circ}$; $\delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}$. Figure 2/1- Continued.



(c) $\delta_{f} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{ff} = 50^{\circ}$. Pigure 2/.— Continued.

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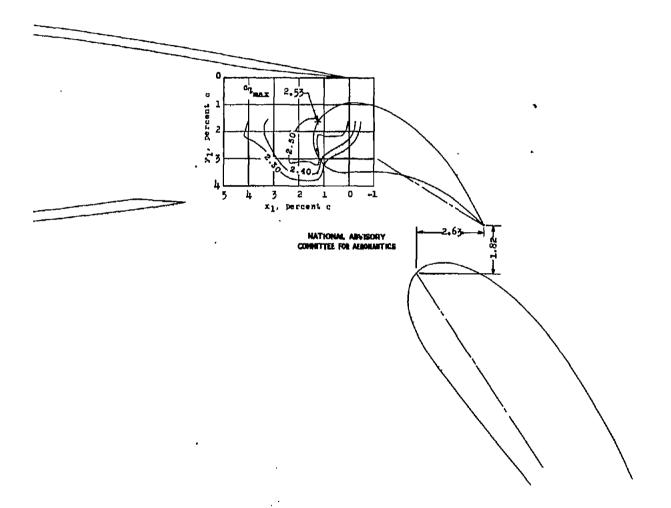
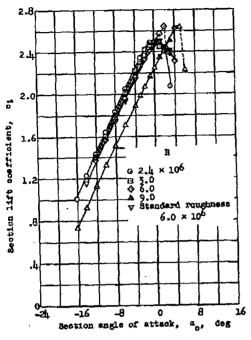


Figure 22.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the HAGA 66-210 sirfuil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075e fore flap; 0.250e flap. $a_{\Gamma} = 55^{\circ}$; $a_{\Gamma\Gamma} = 30^{\circ}$; $a_{\Gamma} = 2.4 \times 10^{6}$.

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(a) $\delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}$; $\delta_{f} = 55^{\circ}$. $x_{1} = 1.18$; $y_{1} = 2.23$; $x_{2} = 2.87$; $y_{2} = 2.27$.

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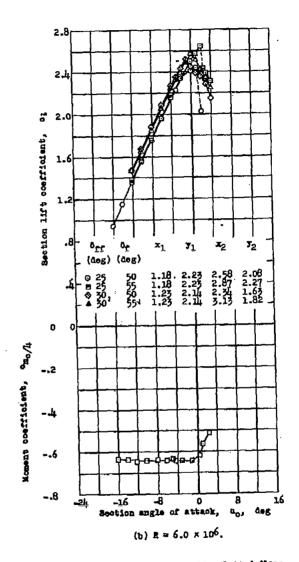
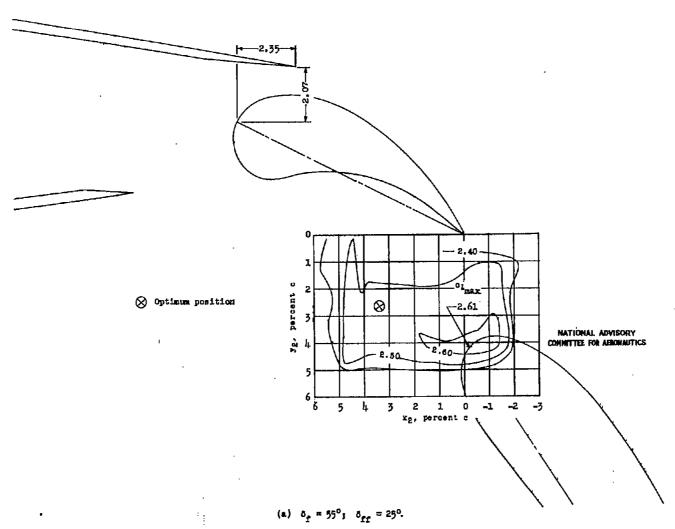
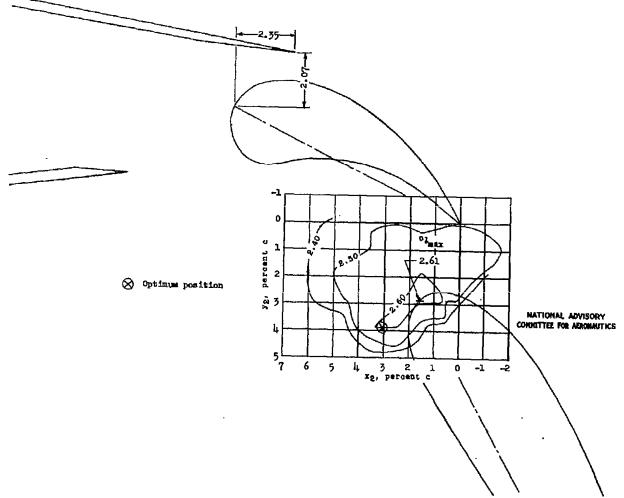


Figure 23.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the MACA 66-210 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.0750 fore flap; 0.2500 flap.

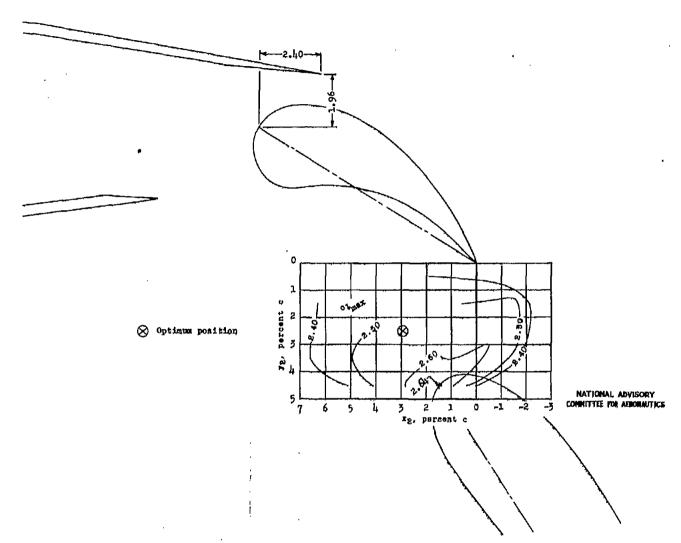


Pigure 24.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the MAGA 66-210 mirroil section with a double slotted flap: 0.100c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $R = 2.h \times 10^6$.

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(b) $\delta_{f} = 60^{\circ}; \ \delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}.$ Figure 84.— Continued.



(a) $\delta_{r} = 55^{\circ}$; $\delta_{rr} = 30^{\circ}$. Figure 24.- Concluded.

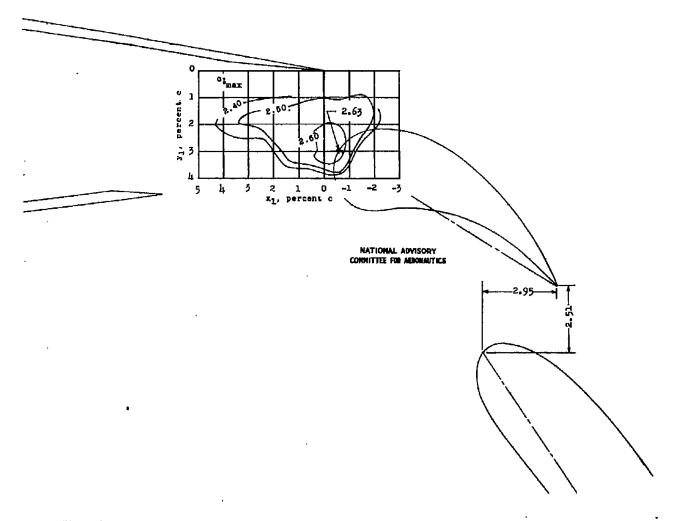
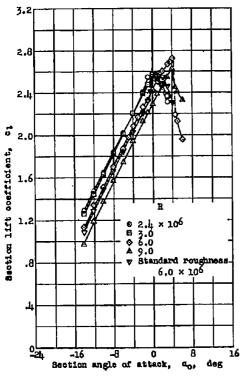


Figure 25.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the dACA 66-210 mirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.100c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_f = 55^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^6$.



(a) $\delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}$; $\delta_{f} = 60^{\circ}$. $x_{1} = 2.35$; $y_{1} = 2.07$; $x_{2} = 3.07$; $y_{2} = 3.88$.

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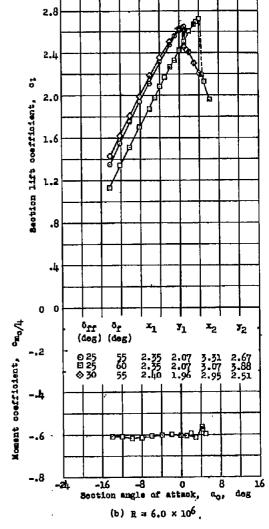
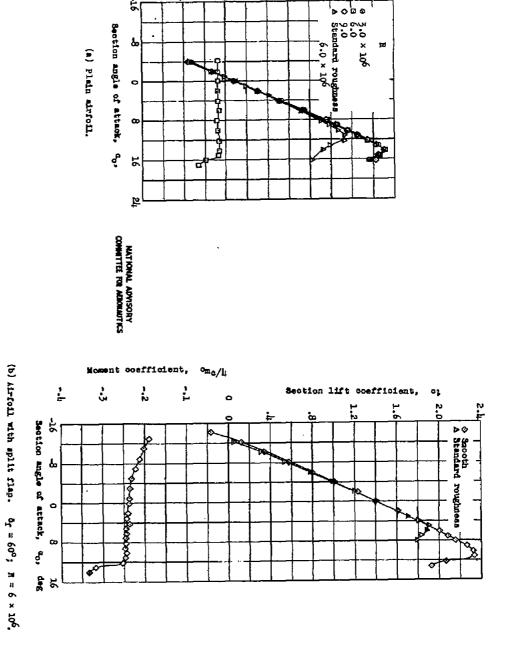


Figure 26.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 66-210 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.100c fore flap; 0.250c flap.

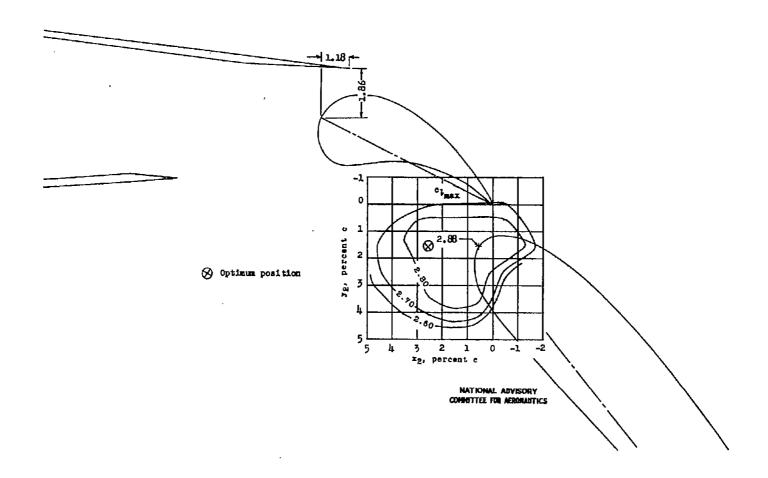
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Figure 27.- Section lift and pitching-noment characteristics of the KACA 1/10 sirfoll section with and without a 0.20c split flap.



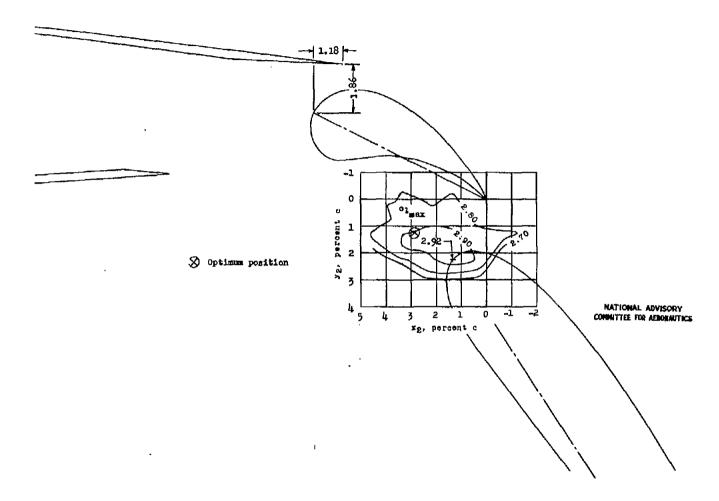
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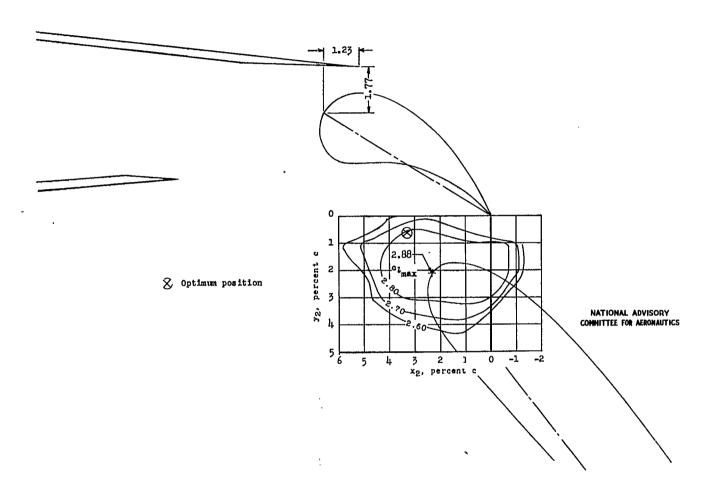


(a) $\delta_{\rm f} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\rm ff} = 25^{\circ}$. Pigure 28.— Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA LilO airfeil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. R = 2.4 × 106.

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(b) $\delta_{f} = 55^{\circ}; \quad \delta_{ff} = 25^{\circ}.$ Figure 28 .- Continued,



(c) $\delta_{\hat{\mathbf{f}}} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\hat{\mathbf{f}}\hat{\mathbf{f}}} = 30^{\circ}$. Figure 2θ . - Concluded.

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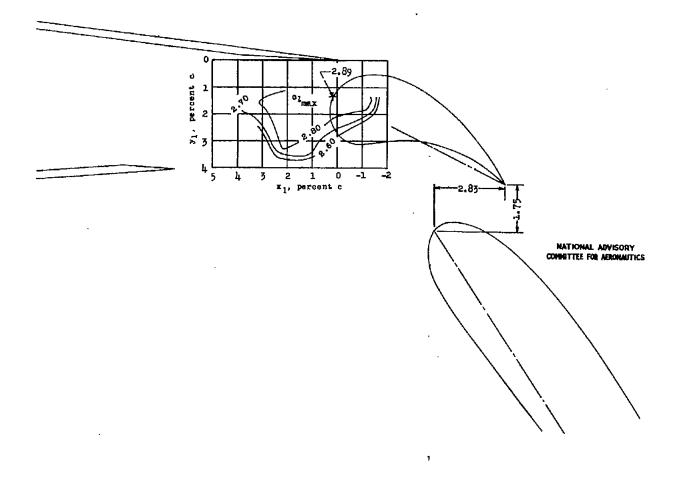
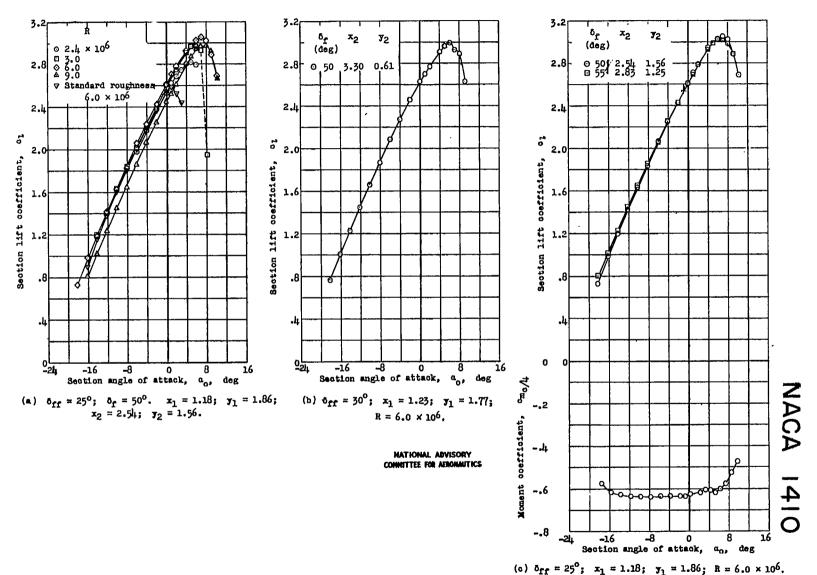
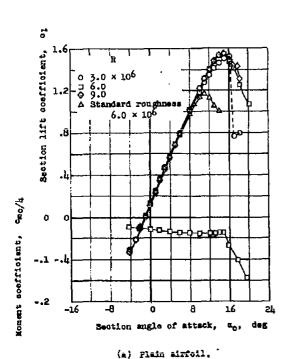


Figure 29.- Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the NACA lhl0 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\sigma_{\rm f} = 55^{\circ}$; $\sigma_{\rm ff} = 25^{\circ}$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^{6}$.



Pigure 30.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the NACA 1410 mirfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap.

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(b) Airfoil with split flap. $\sigma_{\Gamma} = 60^{\circ}$; $R = 6.0 \times 10^{6}$

Figure 31.- Section lift and pitching-accent characteristics of the NACA $6l_{\rm H}$ -212 mirfoil section with and without a 0.20c split flap.

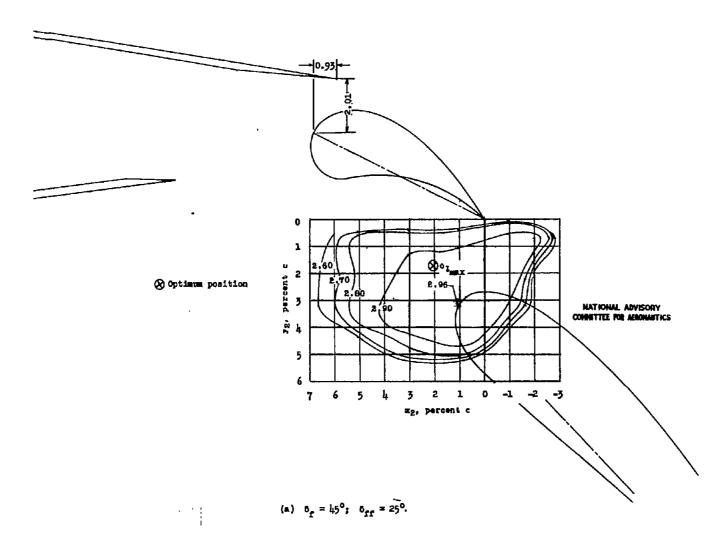
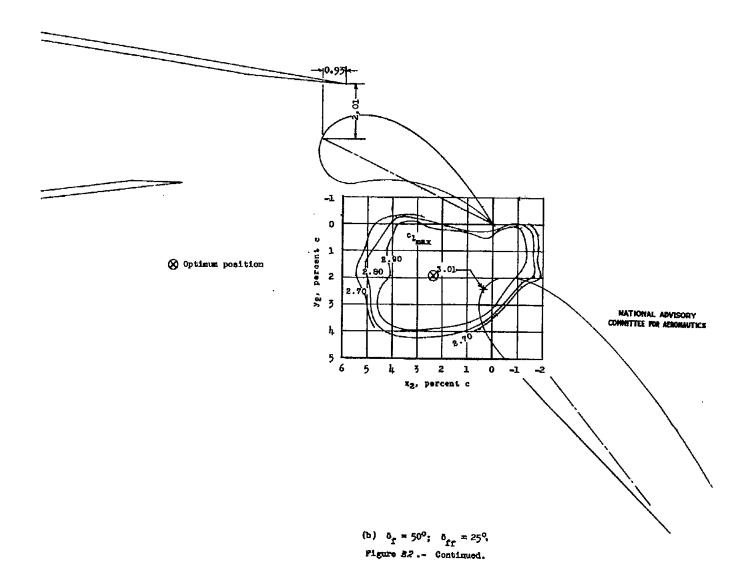
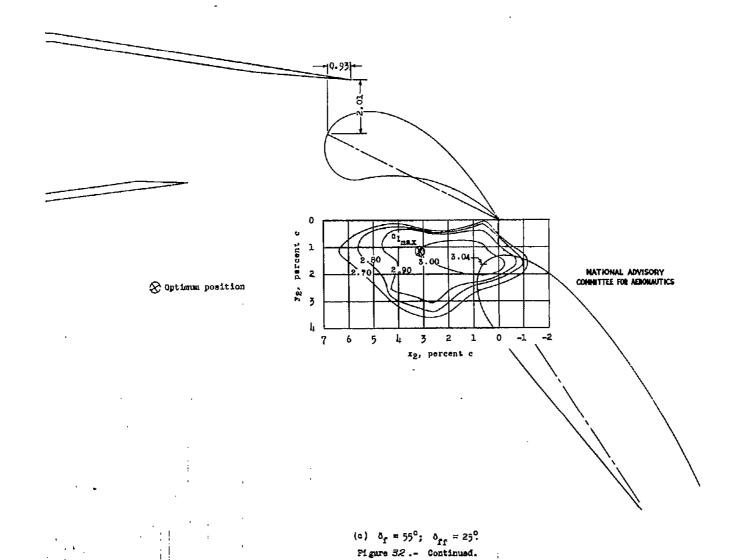


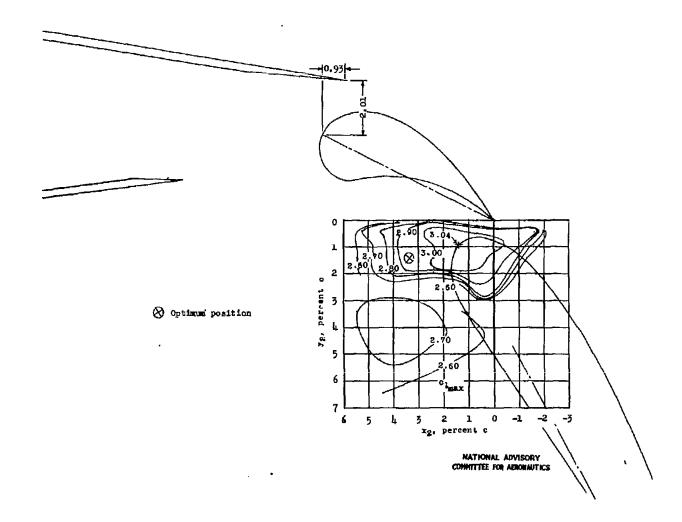
Figure 32.- Contours of flap position for maximum lift of the NACA $6k_1-212$ airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. R = $2.k_1 \times 10^6$.



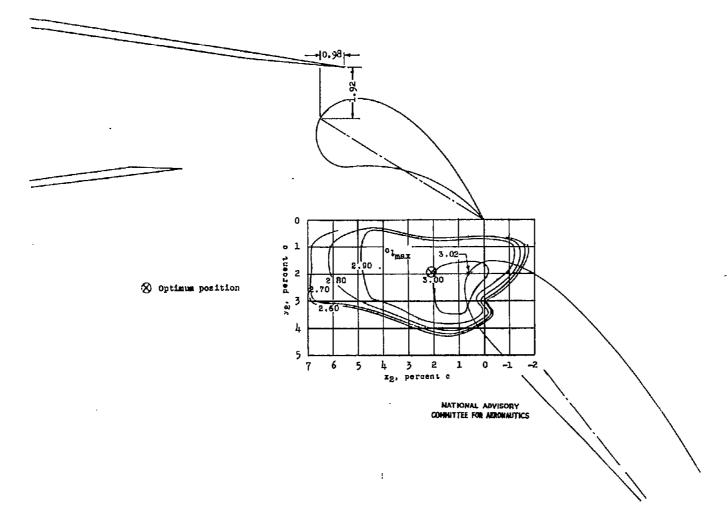
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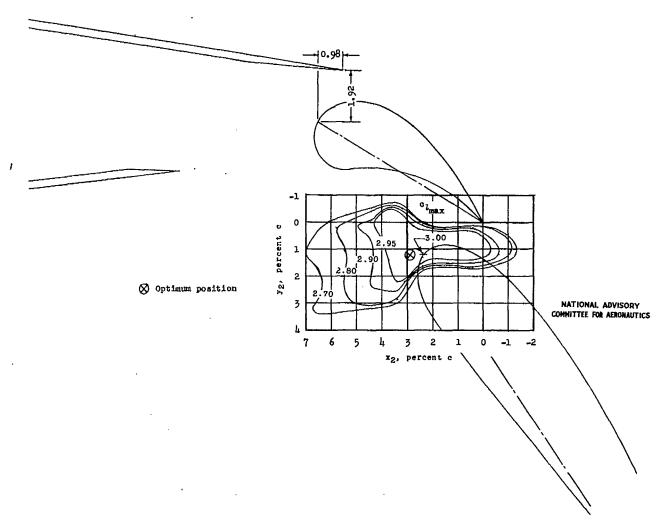
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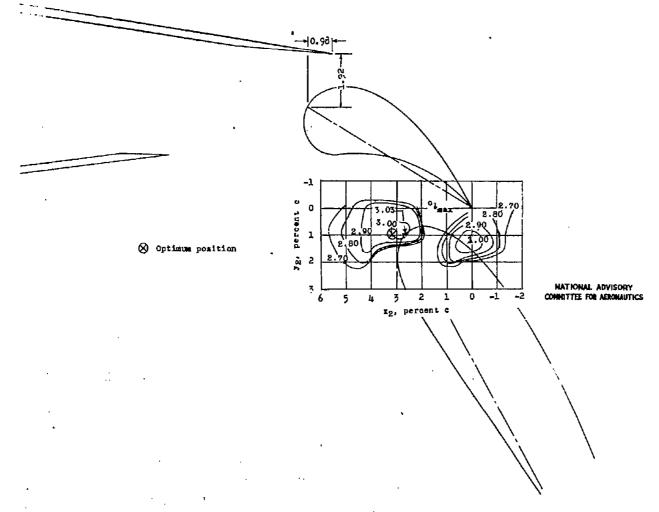
(d) $\delta_f = 60^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 25^\circ$. Figure 32. — Continued.



(e) $\delta_{\hat{f}} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\hat{f}\hat{f}} = 30^{\circ}$. Figure 32.- Continued.



(f) $\delta_f = 55^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$. Figure 3.2.— Continued.



(g) $\delta_f = 60^\circ$; $\delta_{ff} = 30^\circ$. Figure 32 .- Compluded.

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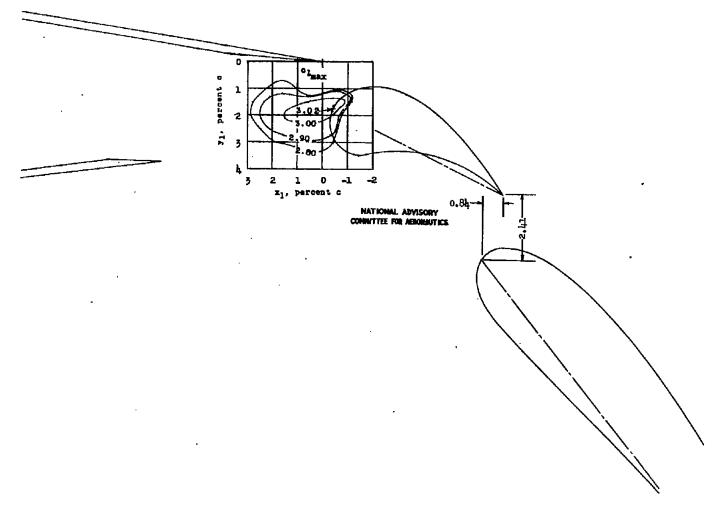


Figure 33.— Contours of flap and fore-flap position for maximum lift of the NAGA 64_1 -212 airfoil section with a double slotted flap; 0.075c fore flap; 0.250c flap. $\delta_{\Gamma} = 50^{\circ}$; $\delta_{\Gamma\Gamma} = 25^{\circ}$; $R = 2.4 \times 10^{\circ}$.

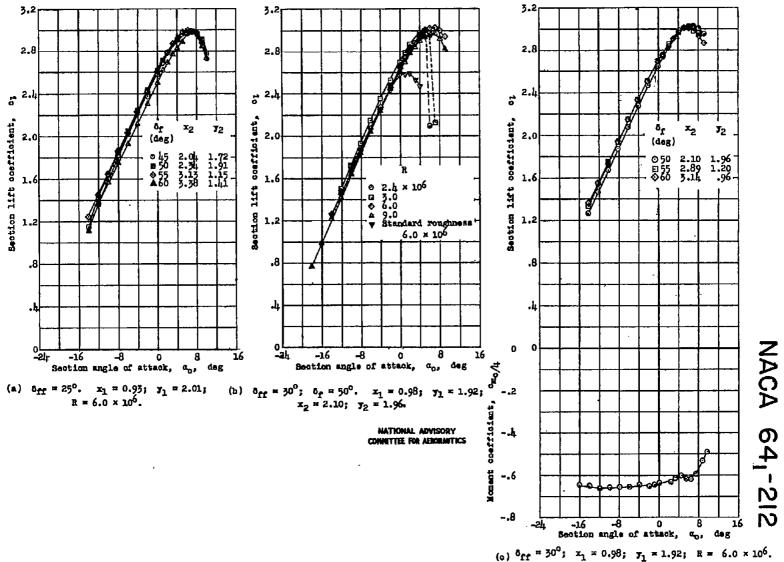
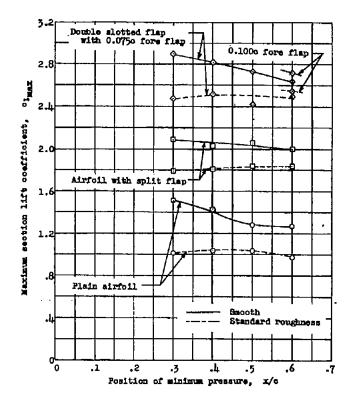
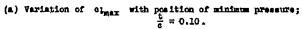
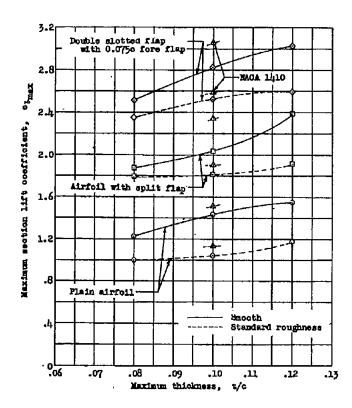


Figure 34.- Section lift and pitching-moment characteristics of the WACA 64,1-212 airfoil section with a double slotted flap;
0.0750 fore flap; 0.2500 flap.



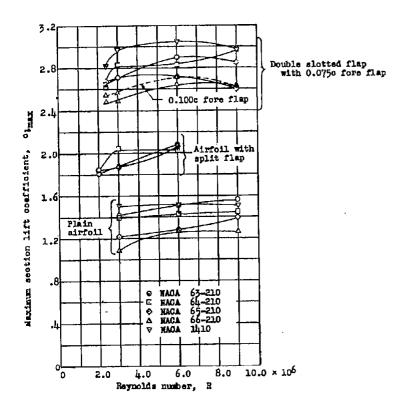




(b) Variation of $c_{l_{max}}$ with t/c; minimum pressure at $\frac{\pi}{c} = 0.10$.

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Figure 35. Variation of maximum section lift coefficient with position of minimum pressure and maximum thickness for some MAGA 6-series mirfoil sections cambered for ideal lift coefficients of 0.2. R = 6.0 x 106.



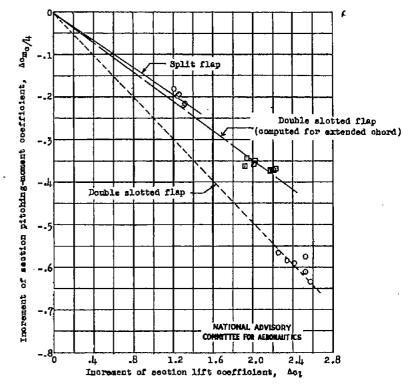


Figure 36. - Refeat of Reynolds number on the maximum section lift coefficient of some MAGA airfoil sections.

Figure 37.- Variation of increment of section lift coefficient with increment of section pitching-moment coefficient caused by addition of flaps on spme thin NACA 6-series airfoil sections. a, = 00.